

# AMERICAN STUDIES FALL 2021 COURSES

## WHAT IS AMERICAN STUDIES?

Our courses examine American cultural life in the past and present, always with the aim of helping students better understand their experiences and their society. We study how Americans have thought about and experienced topics such as race, immigration, and ethnicity; gender and sexuality; film, literature, and creative work; popular culture, gaming, and technology; fashion and body politics; family, childhood, and adolescence; work and leisure; nature, the environment, and region; urban cultures and nightlife; civil rights, cultural radicalism, and social justice; emotions, sports, and mental health; and monsters, crime, and violence.

American Studies faculty are engaged, award-winning teacher-scholars. Our classes emphasize cultural history from interdisciplinary and diverse viewpoints. In our courses you will learn to interpret a range of sources from multiple perspectives and to communicate clearly in speech and writing.

In an American Studies class you will encounter and analyze culture from a variety of sources. You may explore novels or autobiographies; examine movies, comics, games, social media, and television; investigate food, law, fashion, and music; and study the visual arts, material cultures, and the built environment. You will also be exposed to the most recent scholarship in the field of American studies.

## AMST 101-INTRODUCTION OF AMERICAN CULTURAL STUDIES

Meets Introduction to Social Sciences G.E.

Requirement: D.1.

### IN PERSON:

01 | MW | 8:30 AM | ANDERSON  
02 | TTH | 8:30 AM | BARBIERI  
03 | TTH | 10:00 AM | ANDERSON

### WEB:

50 | ASYNCHRONOUS | FALERO  
51 | ASYNCHRONOUS | BARBIERI  
52 | ASYNCHRONOUS | FALERO

## AMST 201-INTRODUCTION TO AMERICAN STUDIES

Meets American History, Institutions, and Values G.E.

Requirement: D.2.

### IN PERSON:

01 | MW | 8:30 AM | BAXTER  
02 | MWF | 10:00 AM | BAXTER  
03 | MW | 11:30 AM | SNYDER  
04 | MW | 1:00 PM | BAXTER  
05 | MW | 2:30 PM | COVERT-ORTIZ  
06 | M | 4:00 PM | BIGGS  
07 | TTH | 8:30 AM | HASKINS  
08 | TTH | 10:00 AM | HASKINS  
09 | TTH | 11:30 AM | GONZABA  
10 | TTH | 1:00 PM | BARBIERI  
11 | TTH | 2:30 PM | BARBIERI

### WEB:

50 | ASYNCHRONOUS | BATTAN  
51 | MW | 1:00 PM | ZENDERLAND

## AMST 300-INTRODUCTION TO AMERICAN POPULAR CULTURE

Meets Explorations in the Social Sciences G.E.

Requirement D.4.

### IN PERSON:

01 | MW | 10:00 AM | ROWE  
02 | MW | 11:30 AM | ROWE  
03 | TTH | 10:00 AM | ABNET  
04 | TTH | 11:30 AM | ABNET  
05 | TTH | 1:00 PM | HASKINS

### WEB:

50 | ASYNCHRONOUS | SUAREZ  
51 | T | 1:00 PM | GOLUB  
52 | ASYNCHRONOUS | SUAREZ  
53 | ASYNCHRONOUS | SUAREZ  
54 | ASYNCHRONOUS | JACKSON  
55 | ASYNCHRONOUS | JACKSON  
56 | ASYNCHRONOUS | HASKINS

## AMST 301-AMERICAN CHARACTER

Meets Explorations in the Social Sciences and Cultural Diversity G.E. Requirements: D.4. and Z

### IN PERSON:

01 | MW | 10:00 AM | COVERT-ORTIZ

02 | MW | 1:00 PM | COVERT-ORTIZ

03 | TTH | 8:30 AM | ANDERSON

### WEB:

50 | ASYNCHRONOUS | ANDERSON

51 | ASYNCHRONOUS | BARBIERI

## AMST 318-HOLLYWOOD AND AMERICA

### WEB:

01 | ASYNCHRONOUS | BATTAN

## AMST 320-WOMEN IN AMERICAN SOCIETY

Meets Lifelong Learning and Self-Development and Cultural Diversity G.E. Requirements: E and Z.

### IN PERSON:

01 | MW | 10:00 AM | LANE

02 | MW | 2:30 PM | AGNEW

03 | TTH | 2:30 PM | PEREZ

### WEB:

50 | ASYNCHRONOUS | SUAREZ

51 | ASYNCHRONOUS | AGNEW

## AMST 324-AMERICAN IMMIGRANT CULTURES

Meets Explorations in the Arts and Humanities and Cultural Diversity G.E. Requirements: C.3. and Z beginning in catalog year Fall 2020

### IN PERSON:

01 | MW | 11:30 AM | RING

02 | MW | 1:00 PM | RING

03 | M | 4:00 PM | HORWITZ

04 | TTH | 8:30 AM | PEREZ

05 | TTH | 11:30 AM | PEREZ

06 | TTH | 1:00 PM | PEREZ

### WEB:

50 | ASYNCHRONOUS | WOO

## AMST 345-AMERICAN DREAM

Meets Explorations in the Arts and Humanities G.E. Requirement: C.3. for catalog years Fall 2019 to present and before Fall 2018; or C.4. only for catalog year Fall 2018-Spring 2019.

### IN PERSON:

01 | MW | 8:30 AM | LOFTIN

02 | MW | 1:00 PM | LOFTIN

03 | MW | 2:30 PM | LOFTIN

04 | TTH | 10:00 AM | LOFTIN

05 | TTH | 11:30 AM | LOFTIN

06 | TTH | 2:30 PM | FALERO

### WEB:

50 | ASYNCHRONOUS | FALERO

# What Can I do With an American Studies Degree?

Besides providing a rich liberal arts education, training in American Studies develops skills in writing and analysis and strengthens the ability to recognize connections among complex materials and diverse phenomena. American Studies graduates obtain careers in business, communications, government service, law, social services, and teaching. The major is also a fine background for graduate work in the field or in related fields.

## Interested in an American Studies Major, Double-Major, or Minor?

American Studies is an excellent stand alone degree as well as an ideal double major or minor that complements, for instance, majors in African American Studies, Art, Music, and Theater, Asian American Studies, Chicana/o Studies, Communications, Criminal Justice, History, Human Services, Political Science, Psychology, and Sociology. Contact [amstadvicing@Fullerton.edu](mailto:amstadvicing@Fullerton.edu) for more information.

# How Do I find Out More?

- Visit our website at <http://amst.fullerton.edu>
- Contact Terri L. Snyder, Department Chair at [snyder@fullerton.edu](mailto:snyder@fullerton.edu)
- For advising contact [amstadvising@Fullerton.edu](mailto:amstadvising@Fullerton.edu)
- Visit [the faculty webpage](#)
- Phone our department office at (657) 278-2441.
- Follow us on Twitter [@CSUF\\_AMST](#)

## AMST 350-AMST THEORY AND METHODS

### IN PERSON:

01 | MW | 11:30 AM | LANE

## AMST 395-CALIFORNIA CULTURES

Meets Lifelong Learning and Self-Development and Cultural Diversity G.E. Requirements: E and Z.

### IN PERSON:

01 | TTH | 10:00 AM | FINGAL

02 | TTH | 11:30 AM | FINGAL

03 | MW | 2:30 PM | HAWKINS

### WEB:

50 | ASYNCHRONOUS | HAWKINS

51 | ASYNCHRONOUS | HORWITZ

## AMST 401T-PROSEMINAR IN AMST

### IN PERSON

01 | AMERICAN CULTURE AND NATURE | TTH | 2:30 PM | FINGAL

02 | CIVIL RIGHTS IN AMERICAN CULTURE | T | 7:00 PM | GONZABA

## AMST 412-WOMEN, RACE, AND ETHNICITY

### IN PERSON:

01 | MW | 2:30 PM | ROWE

## AMST 418-FOOD AND AMERICAN CULTURE

### IN PERSON:

01 | T | 4:00 PM | LEWINNEK

## AMST 442-TELEVISION AND AMERICAN CULTURE

### IN PERSON:

01 | TH | 4:00 PM | FALERO

## AMST 445-COLD WAR AND AMERICAN CULTURE

### IN PERSON:

01 | M | 4:00 PM | WOO

## AMST 448-AMERICAN POP CULTURE AND THE WORLD

### IN PERSON:

01 | W | 4:00 PM | ABNET

## AMST 465-CULTURE AND THE AMERICAN SOUTH

### WEB:

01 | M | 7:00 PM | ZENDERLAND

## AMST 495-INTERNSHIP WITH AMERICAN STUDIES

PLEASE CONTACT CARRIE LANE OR SUSIE WOO FOR MORE INFORMATION.

## AMST 101-INTRO AMERICAN CULTURE

Meets Introduction to  
Social Sciences G.E.  
Requirement: D.1.

**SESSION A:**  
50 | ASYNCHRONOUS | LEWINNEK

## AMST 201-INTRO TO AMERICAN STUDIES

Meets American History,  
Institutions, and Values G.E.  
Requirement: D.2.

**SESSION A:**  
50 | ASYNCHRONOUS | WOO  
51 | ASYNCHRONOUS | GONZABA

**SESSION B:**  
52 | MW | 10:30 AM | ABNET

## AMST 300- INTRODUCTION TO AMERICAN POPULAR CULTURE

Meets Explorations in the  
Social Sciences G.E.  
Requirement D.4.

**SESSION A:**  
51 | TWTH | 10:30 AM | ROWE

**SESSION B:**  
50 | ASYNCHRONOUS | SUAREZ

## AMST 301- AMERICAN CHARACTER

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Social  
Sciences and Cultural Diversity  
G.E. Requirements: D.4. and Z

**SESSION A:**  
50 | ASYNCHRONOUS | LANE

# AMERICAN STUDIES SUMMER 2021 COURSES

## AMST 320- WOMEN IN AMERICAN SOCIETY

Meets Lifelong Learning  
and Self-Development and  
Cultural Diversity G.E.  
Requirements: E and Z.

**SESSION A:**  
50 | ASYNCHRONOUS | LANE

## AMST 324- AMERICAN IMMIGRANT CULTURES

Meets Explorations in the  
Arts and Humanities and  
Cultural Diversity G.E.  
Requirements: C.3. and Z  
beginning in catalog year  
Fall 2020

**SESSION B:**  
01 | ASYNCHRONOUS | HORWITZ

## AMST 395- CALIFORNIA CULTURES

Meets Lifelong Learning  
and Self-Development and  
Cultural Diversity G.E.  
Requirements: E and Z.

**SESSION B:**  
50 | ASYNCHRONOUS | HAWKINS

## AMST 401T- PROMSEMINAR IN AMST

CIVIL RIGHTS IN  
AMERICAN CULTURE

**SESSION A:**  
50 | MTW | 10:30 AM | GONZABA